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1. U.S. Patent Application 09/955,798, Pub. February 21, 2002, Daniel A. J. Dijs, "Assembly for Use in a Coffee Machine for Preparing Coffee, Container and Pouch of Said Assembly" [**Exhibit 1**]

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